

Response under 37 CFR 1.116 - Expedited Procedure  
Examining Group 2189

PATENT  
ATTORNEY DOCKET NO. 0074/071001

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Hirokazu SO et al. Art Unit: 2189  
Application No.: 10/576,422 Examiner: Bernard, D.  
Title: RECORDING MEDIUM, DATA PROCESSING APPARATUS, AND DATA  
PROCESSING METHOD  
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TRANSMITTAL LETTER AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME  
INCLUDING NOTICE OF APPEAL FEE PURSUANT TO 37 CFR 41.20(b)(1)

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated July 16, 2010, applicants hereby submit the enclosed papers including an Response under 37 CFR 1.116 and a Notice of Appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences.

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.17 and 1.136(a), applicants hereby petition for an extension of time for three (3) months to January 18, 2011 (since January 16, 2011 is a Sunday and January 17, 2011 is a national holiday), for filing a response to the Office Action dated July 16, 2010 in connection with the above-identified application.

Transmittal Letter and Petition for Extension of Time  
Including Notice of Appeal Fee Pursuant to 37 CFR 41.20(b)(1)  
Application No. 10/576,422  
January 18, 2011

No extension of time has been previously obtained for filing the response. Thus a fee of \$1,110.00 for an extension of three months pursuant to 37 CFR 1.17 and 1.136(a) is required.

The required fees are calculated below:

Total Claims	<u>4</u>	-	<u>20</u>	=	<u>0</u>	\$0.00
Independent	<u>1</u>	-	<u>3</u>	=	<u>0</u>	\$0.00


Three Month Extension of Time Fee	\$1,110.00
Notice of Appeal	<u>\$540.00</u>
(set forth in 37 CFR 41.20(b)(1))	

TOTAL FEE DUE: \$1,650.00

THE COMMISSIONER IS AUTHORIZED TO CHARGE THIS FEE AND ANY OTHER FEES WHICH MAY BE REQUIRED OR CREDIT ANY OVERPAYMENT TO THE CREDIT CARD NUMBER LISTED IN THE EFS REGISTERED CREDIT CARD SCREEN, REFERENCING ATTORNEY DOCKET NO. 0074/071001. THIS IS A GENERAL AUTHORIZATION EXCLUDING ONLY PAYMENT OF THE ISSUE FEE.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: January 18, 2011

  
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